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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): FUEL CELL POWER SYSTEM

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- 9 pages of Specification / Claims 1 - 8 / Abstract are attached.  
 Drawings (Figs. 1-4 ; 4 sheets) are attached.  
 A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.  
 An assignment of the invention to -- is attached, along with Form PTO-1595.  
 An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and Reference (1).  
 A Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is attached.  
 A Preliminary Amendment is attached.  
 Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Priority of Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-323322; filed October 18, 2000; is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.  
 A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign applications is attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA
BASIC FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	3 - 20	= 0
INDEP CLAIMS	1 - 3	= 0
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**SMALL ENTITY**

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	\$ 370
x 9 =	\$ --
x 40 =	\$ --
+135 =	\$ --
TOTAL	\$ --

**LARGE ENTITY**

RATE	FEES
	\$ 740
x 18 =	\$ --
x 80 =	\$ --
+270 =	\$ --
TOTAL	\$ 740

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